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Change lives. Including your own.

### Rochester's AmeriCorps VISTA Program

The primary mission of the VISTA members is to develop literacy networks surrounding the 10 branch libraries. VISTA members will develop teams of trained and knowledgeable volunteers within each branch library, led by neighborhood library advisory groups, that will

- Market each branch
- Plan and develop focused literacy programs
- Replicate current successful programs such as the Summer Reading programs

By doing all of this, the VISTA Members in partnership with the library branch managers, will place focused and diverse literacy programs in low-income communities throughout the City of Rochester.

### Benefits

- Service to the community
- Biweekly living allowance/Benefits
- End of service education OR cash stipend
- Free cellular cell phone service for the full year of the program
- Use of laptop computer while serving in program
- Relocation assistance
- Comprehensive training provided
- Non-competitive eligibility status for Federal government jobs at end of service

Go to <http://www.americorps.gov/about/programs/vista.asp> for more information on the AmeriCorps VISTA program.

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